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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An ejector mechanism (14) for a circuit board (2¹) and back plane (6¹), the ejector mechanism being operable to provide resiliently biased engagement between a first part (10) of an electrical connector (8) and a mutually engaging second part (12) of the electrical connector (8), the first and second parts of the electrical connector providing electrical connection for a plurality of electrical channels between the circuit board on which the first part is mounted and the back plane on which the second part is mounted. The ejector mechanism comprises an engaging projection (42) and a lever arm (42) pivotally mounted on one of the circuit board and the back plane and configured to engage the engaging projection (40) forming part of the other of the circuit board and the back plane, the lever arm (42) being operable to apply an engaging force to the circuit board with respect to the back plane, when moved from a first position to a second position, which engaging force causes the first and second parts of the connector to engage, wherein the engagement of the lever arm (42) and the engaging projection (40) is provided by a flexible coupling which allows relative movement of the circuit board away from the back plane and a biasing force which biases the circuit board towards the back plane.

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